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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Jay Smith left Friday evening for Omaha to accept a position.

Sam Westfall, of Omaha, visited his brother Mac Westfall last week.

Mrs. H. C. Brock is spending this week with the home folks in Fairbury.

C. F. Tracy left Saturday morning for Scotts Bluff to visit his daughter.

Miss Margaret McGinley spent the week end with relatives at Keystone.

James Hart and son Lawrence left Saturday for Kimball on a fishing trip.

Miss Ruth Elder left at noon Friday for Cozad to visit relatives for several days.

The Yeomen drill team held an enjoyable dance at the Lloyd Friday evening.

Supt. Frank Smith of the Sutherland school, spent the week end visiting Supt. Tout.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Walker have gone to Scotts Bluff where they will make their home.

Mrs. James Roddy, daughter Marguerite and son Harold visited in Grand Island last week.

Mrs. H. D. Late returned to Paxton Saturday after spending several days with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Salisbury who were married in Omaha last week, returned home Saturday morning.

Miss Bessie Smith expects to leave the first of next month for California to spend several weeks with friends.

Mrs. W. D. Joder and sister Ida May Salisbury will leave shortly for Alliance to make an extended visit.

Mrs. Clyde Cook and Miss Ethel Frye will leave shortly for Vivitor, Ia., to spend several weeks with relatives.

Mrs. Maddox and children of Burwell who visited at the McGinley home last week, went home Saturday.

Miss Elizabeth Hurd, who has been in charge of the McVicker millinery shop, left yesterday morning for Kansas City.

Mrs. Roy Pritchard, of Omaha, formerly of this city, arrived here last week to visit Mrs. Albert Abel and other friends.

Mrs. S. Gibbs, of Omaha has returned home after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Brooks Meadows, in this city.

Lost—Collie Shepard dog, lame on hind foot. Reward if returned to H. Alkire, North Platte, Neb., phone 796F022.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tiley returned Saturday evening from an auto trip to Broken Bow where they visited for several days.

Mrs. Jessie VanDyke and daughter will leave shortly for Kansas City and other eastern points to spend a month or longer.

Mrs. F. C. Hoxie left Saturday morning for Ogalalla, having come down to attend the Doran-Flynn wedding last week.

Mrs. C. S. Sawyer, Jr., and baby of Cheyenne returned home Saturday morning after visiting at the Sawyer home for two weeks.

Mrs. Emma Godbey, of Hastings, came the latter part of last week to visit with Mrs. Joseph E. Fillion for a week or more.

Frank D. Mylander of North Platte and Clara E. Houch, of Lincoln, were granted a marriage license by County Judge French Saturday.

Mrs. Arrowsmith, of Ogalalla, came down Saturday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Clough and to sing in the Lutheran choir Sunday.

The marriage of Miss Carrie Frye and John P. Hillebrandt will take place at St. Patrick's church Thursday morning, May 18th, at 6:45.

For Farm Loans see or write Gene Crook, room 3, Waltemath building, North Platte. 411t

If you break your glasses, save the pieces. We can make a new lens from the sample pieces. HARRY DIXON, Jeweler and Optometrist.

Mrs. Elmer Baker, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Joseph Karbush in Chicago for several months, is expected to return home next week.

Wanted—Girl for general house work. No washing or ironing. Wages \$6.00 per week. Mrs. Joseph D. Martin, 717 west Division St., Grand Island, Neb.

If you have dollar eyes, use dollar glasses—but "cheap glasses" take your money, and often your eyesight. HARRY DIXON, Jeweler and Optometrist.

Wanted—Four or five hundred head of cattle to pasture this summer. Inquire of J. A. BANTA, Tryon, Neb., 25 miles north and west of North Platte. 35-2*

Invitations were received by local friends Saturday for the graduation of Milton V. Nation, of Wallace, the only member of the class of 1916. The exercises will be held at the Congregational church May 20th.

The funeral services of the late Henry Ream were held Friday afternoon from the home of his son Charles Ream west of town. The services were in charge of Rev. Johnson and Rev. Satchel of Hershey and interment was made in the North Platte cemetery. The deceased leaves four daughters and six sons and the latter acted as pall bearers.

TWENTIETH CENTURY BILLION DOLLAR GRASS ENDORSED.

W. H. Freeman, a Dawson county farmer, publishes the following in the Lexington Clipper-Citizen:

I herein submit my experience in the growing of "Billion Dollar Grass" which I think will be of interest to many of your readers:

But first I will describe it. It is very vigorous, grows rapidly, very leafy, attains a height of 3 to 5 feet. Sowing season from May 15 to June 20 and has a reputation of making two crops of hay, if the first is cut as soon as the heads appear.

I have grown it two years, 1914 and 1915, getting a good crop both seasons each of which were extremes as regard to moisture.

I harvested with a binder and shocked the same as grain. It cured perfectly. It makes the most perfect horse feed I have ever fed. Horses do as well on it alone as on the best prairie hay and grain, and it seems to agree with them in every way. My horses will come in from the green pasture and will stay and eat it as long as there is any in the feed rack.

As I have only horses I cannot say as to other classes of stock, but it is claimed all stock relish it, and thrive on its superior nourishment, even more than horses. If they will do as well I know of no other hay its equal—not even alfalfa.

So far, I have cut all mine as hay, and now for seed, but my neighbor had four acres of seed crop last year which threshed out 35 bushels per acre. The seed weighs about 50 pounds to the bushel, and is said to contain as much fat as corn, and more protein.

I was first to try it in 1914. There were three of us who sent for seed in 1915 which cost us laid down here 8 cents per pound. This year about ten in this neighborhood will sow some but since we have the home grown seed it will not cost more than half of what we paid.

I consider it one of our coming hay crops. Rich not only in name which rivals Rockefeller, yet more generous in its distribution of wealth.

AL G. BARNES CIRCUS WILL EXHIBIT HERE THURSDAY.

The Al G. Barnes circus, with its 600 educated animals, will exhibit in this city Thursday afternoon and evening of this week.

Instead of the usual, one sees the very unusual in the Barnes program. The principal acts are done by educated wild and domestic animals in two rings and a big steel barred arena. These animal actors number 600 and are trained to an amazing degree of proficiency. Such vim and dash do they put into their work that not a dull moment is experienced from the grand cavalcade entry until the final group of man-eating lions are driven to their cages.

There are acrobats, jugglers, aerial performers, high divers, bare back riders and all other forms of circus entertainment, but instead of people appearing in the acts wild and domestic animals take their places. Lions, leopards, panthers and bears ride galloping horses, sea lions juggle balls and other articles, dogs and monkeys jump from the top of the tent into nets, elephants act as clowns and do many other comical things, high school horses and beautiful ponies appear in brilliant dances and military drills, in fact almost every species of animals is shown as an actor.

Upholds Paving Law.

In a sweeping decision in the district court at Kearney Friday afternoon, Judge James Hanna of Grand Island, sitting in place of Judge Hostetter, denied an injunction against the mayor and city council of Kearney, to restrain them from paving the city streets. He declared the constitutionality of the law passed by the last legislature providing for paving and assessing in cities of the first class. His decision directly affects over \$1,000,000 worth of paving improvements to be laid this summer in Kearney, Beatrice, Columbus, Fairbury, Fremont, Grand Island, Hastings, Nebraska City, North Platte, Plattsmouth and York.

The judge in his findings holds that the mayor and city council of any city of the first class may create paving districts, notify the owners of property and that the owners may protest against paving within thirty days. If 51 per cent do not protest then the council may proceed to pave.

Seeks a Divorce.

Viola E. Edis filed suit in the district court Saturday for divorce from Guy Edis on the grounds of cruelty and desertion. The plaintiff states that they were married in North Platte, January 14, 1914, and she had always conducted herself as a faithful and obedient wife and that shortly after their marriage he refused to support her and she was forced to return to the home of her father John Biehl. She claims that the defendant is a strong healthy man, owns four hundred and eighty acres of land and a large number of cattle and refused to give her the necessities of life without any just cause.

Through her attorney George Gibbs she asks that the marriage bond be annulled, and that she receive proper alimony and that the defendant pay the attorneys fees and cost of action.

Free Employment Bureau.

The North Platte Chamber of Commerce has opened an employment bureau which is free to all. If you are looking for work file your application at headquarters, Building and Loan building.

Mr. Farmer and ranchman if you want help phone 63, or better still, call at the office. When possible give us a few days notice, for in a good many cases it is impossible to secure good help on short notice.

The majority of the business men belong to the Chamber and want you to use the rooms and this employment bureau and they are anxious to be of assistance to you.

Yours for a better and bigger Lincoln County.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

W. D. Fisher, Secretary.

Notice.

Have left my accounts with I. I. Miltonberger. Kindly call and settle.

The Leader Suit Sale

Is Proving a Big Success.



Remember this Sale lasts but 10 days longer. Take advantage of it if you want to save money on Suits and Coats.

150 Ladies Suits,

MATERIALS—Taffetas, Serges, Gaberdines, Silk Poplins, Wool Poplins, Velour Checks etc.

STYLES—Tailored Suits, Norfolk, Belted Models, Flaring Effects in all the new colors. Sizes 16 to 47. No two alike.

These suits were consigned to The Leader by one of the largest suit manufacturers in New York City to be closed out regardless of their value

\$25 Suits at \$12.50

\$30 and \$35 Suits at \$18.75

\$40 and \$45 Suits at \$27.50

One lot of Suits worth up to \$20 at \$9.50

These goods are of the very smartest styles shown this season, and at prices now offered we suggest that any one needing a suit call at once, as the consignment is left with us for but ten days and after May 20th whatever is left must be returned to the manufacturers. Alterations Free.



200 Ladies' and Misses' Coats

Just arrived which will be sold at a discount of twenty per cent. One lot Ladies' Shirt waists worth up to \$2 will be closed out at 50 cents each.

Only fifty more days and this store will change hands. Everything in the store at a discount of ten and twenty per cent

The Latest Novelties in Wash Goods are now shown at our store at very lowest prices.

THE LEADER,

North Platte. J. PIZER, Prop.



Optimistic Thought.
 Wit is desirable, but wisdom more excellent.

True Happiness.
 Happy the man who, remote from busy life, is content, like the primitive race of mortals, to plow his paternal lands with his own oxen, freed from all borrowing and lending.—Horace.

Daily Thought.
 The mind that is cheerful in its present state will be adverse to all solitudes to the future, and will meet the bitter occurrences of life with a placid smile.—Horace.

His Future Home Apparent.
 The man who says he was never scared in all his life ought to begin right now to be afraid of what eternity holds for those who do not tell the truth.

High Standard.
 Let us so live that when we are nominated for a public office we shall not have people saying of us that once upon a time we milked a widow woman's cow while the owner was at church.—Dallas News.

After the Honeymoon.
 She—"If I'd known you'd be such a brute to poor Fido I'd never have married you." He—"The anticipated pleasure of kicking that miserable little beast was one of my chief reasons for proposing."—Stray Stories.

Indiscreet Advice.
 Doctor—"Madam, you must take more exercise. I should advise walking every day." Wealthy Lady—"Walking! My dear doctor, you must be accustomed to attending poor people!"

Uncle Eben.
 "Mebbe de man dat never has to fight," said Uncle Eben, "ain't as peaceable as he is lucky."

Words of Wisdom.
 It is by vivacity and wit that man shines in company; but trite jokes and loud laughter reduce him to a buffoon.—Chesterfield.

This Year's Model.
 Modern Schoolboy—"Teacher, would you mind telling my chauffeur I'm kept in and that he'll have to wait?"—Puck.

For Revenue Only.
 Most of the time the plaintiff would hit the nail upon its well-known head if she'd spell it income-taxability.—Judge.

Little to Choose.
 The fellow who never tries in many cases is little worse off than the man who lacks self-confidence when opportunity comes his way.

Both Fear.
 "My dear wife spent her early years in a milliner's shop," said a wealthy self-made man the other day. "Mine spends most of her time there now," growled his friend. "She's pretty dear, too."—Stray Stories.

Multum in Parvo.
 One-third of the fools in the country think they can beat a lawyer expounding the laws. One-half think they can beat the doctor healing the sick. Two-thirds of them think they can put the minister in the hole expounding the gospel, and all of them think they can beat the editor running a paper.—Carolina Square Deal.

Sent Over the Telephone.
 Mistress—"Goodness, Bridget, where is our telephone?" Bridget—"Mrs. Jones sent over, mum, askin' for the use av it, and I sint it over, but I had the devil's own time gittin' it off the wall, mum."—Toledo Blade.

One Eye Waiting.
 "Bobby, dear," said his mother, "you must go to bed; it's late." Bobby hopped into bed. Later his mother said: "Bobby, why don't you close your other eye and sleep?" "Well, mother," said Bobby, "this eye is sleeping," pointing to the closed eye, "but the one that's open is waiting for daddy to come home."

Business Change.
 Business is not nearly as sociable as it was when the value of a salesman was estimated largely by his ability to tell funny stories.

FIRE, TORNADO,
 HAIL INSURANCE
 O. H. Thoelecke.

CANE SEED

Our Car of Cane Seed is Almost Gone!

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KAFFIR CORN FETERITA

R. N. LAMB

PHONE 67.